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TO /SECSTATE WASHDC 0454

AMEMBASSY LIMA

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SUBJ: PERUVIAN ATTITUDES TOWARD VIET-NAM

1. WE HAVE NOTED THAT PERU IS ONE OF THE FEW LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES WHICH CONSISTENTLY SUPPORTS VIETNAMESE COMMUNIST EFFORTS TO INSTALL HANOI'S SOUTHERN FRONT, THE SO-CALLED "PRG" IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES. WE ALSO NOTE THAT PERU RECEIVES "PRG" VISITORS WITH ENTHUSIASM AND PROVIDES THEM FORA FROM WHICH THEY PROPAGATE THEIR DISTORTED VERSION OF EVENTS OF VIET-NAM.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT AND LIMA'S VIEWS REGARDING POSSIBLE STEPS THAT MIGHT BE TAKEN TO MODERATE GOP'S ONE-SIDED STAND. WE STAND READY, OF COURSE, TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON ANY ASPECT OF THE VIET-NAM SITUATION WHICH EMBASSY LIMA THINKS MAY APPEAL TO GOP.
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